This is in response to the letter dated 10/4/06 referencing the September Monthly report 8/1/06 - 8/31/06.

- Regarding missing occupation information for individuals who contribute in excess of \$200 in a calendar year: The committee's procedure for obtaining the information is as follows: All of our original solicitations include a clear and conspicuous request for the contributor information and inform the contibutors of the requirement of federal law. If the donor has not provided the information, the committee will either call or send a letter with return envelope to the donor asking for the occupation with no solicitation and again inform the contributor of the requirements of federal law for the reporting of such information. Usually this is done 10 days after the contribution is received. Contributor information received after the contribution has been reported will be filed as an amendment with the next regularly scheduled report.
- Regarding disbursements for 'Yard signs' reported on Line 21(b): This disbursement meets the requirements of 'exempt'
  party activity.

The disbursement was made out of permissible funds that were not designated for a particular candidate and payment was not made from transfers-in from the Republican

National Committee. The disbursement was not made for a cost incurred for a general public communication or direct mailing.